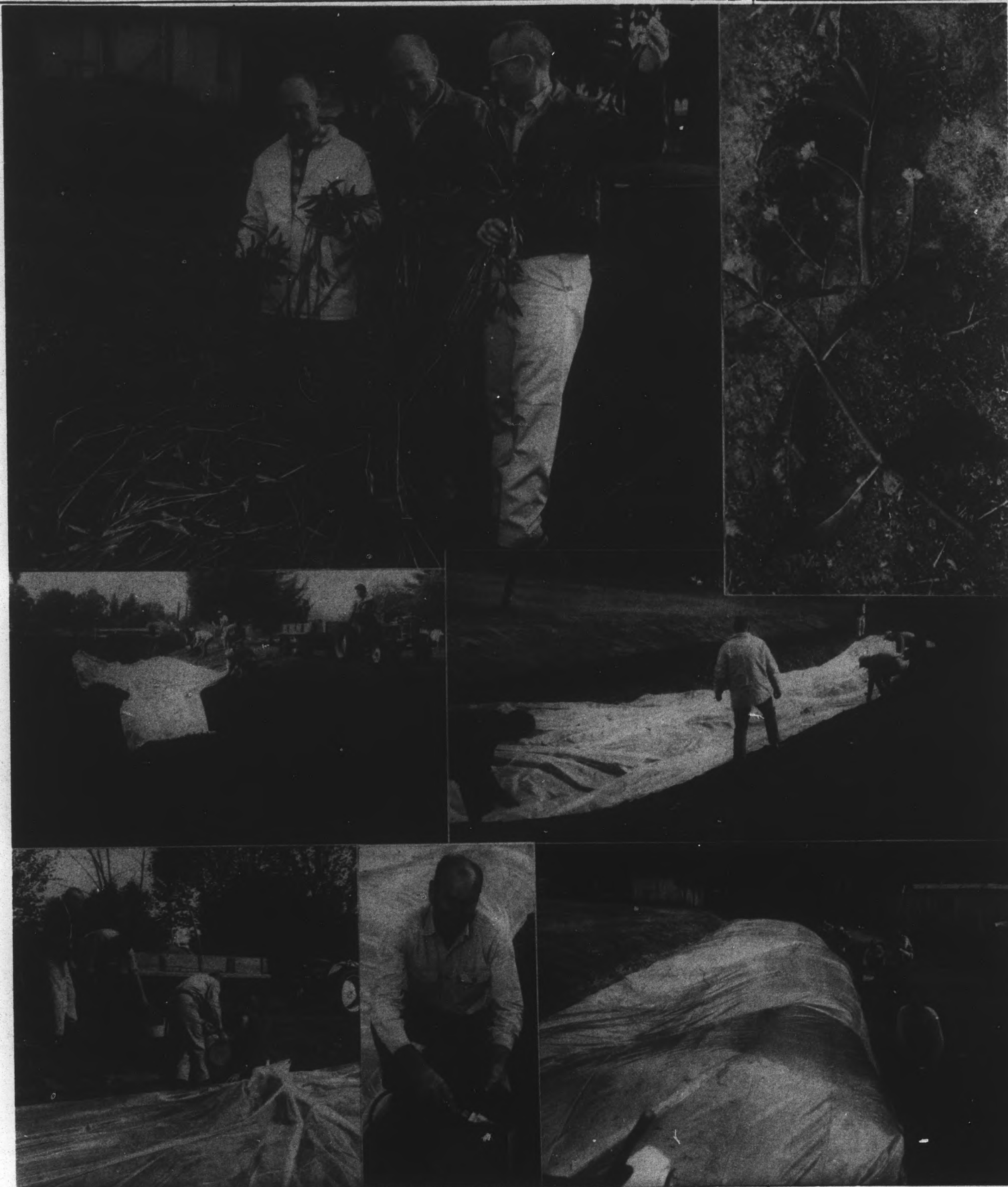


DRIVE STARTED TO ELIMINATE ALLIGATOR WEED BEFORE IT SPREADS ONTO FARM LAND



ELIMINATION OF Alligator weed — a most serious threat to farm lands if allowed to spread — has started in the Pioneer ditch below Murry park, with photos showing fumigations. At left, Bob Dunbar, out of the county agricultural commission-

er's office; Vince Schweers, county farm advisor; and Leslie D. Haworth, supervising biologist and weed control specialist from the California department of agriculture, take a look at the Alligator weed growth in the ditch. At top right are stalks of

the plant, showing typical leaf growth — two leaves opposite each other on the stem, and the small white flowers of the weed. Center: plastic tarps being spread over a section of the infested ditch area; lower, from left, edges of the tarp being

sealed with dirt; Schweers prepares to put a shot of the fumigant, methyl bromide, under the tarp, and, the fumigant being shot under the full length of the billowing tarp.

(Farm Tribune photos)

PORTERVILLE - First move to eliminate Alligator weed in Tulare county was started this week through a joint effort by the offices of the county farm advisor, the agriculture commissioner, and the state department of agriculture, along with the city of Porterville and the Pioneer Water company.

Scene of the action is the Pioneer ditch below Murry park, where both fumigation and spraying will be used in an effort to kill the weed which was identified early this year, but which has probably been in the ditch and its branches for at least 10 years.

Fumigation with methyl bromide will be used in ditch areas where there are no nearby trees; in open areas, a heavy application of Karmax spray will be utilized.

Present plan for Porterville is to hit the Pioneer ditch from Murry park to Fourth street, then move into Porter slough working down the slough from the Pioneer ditch outlet into the slough at Grevilla street.

Just how much work will be accomplished this season depends on weather, since soil temperature and a low soil moisture content are factors in control work.

No attempt will be made at control in the Pioneer ditch beyond Fourth street, or further out in the ditch system, until it is determined whether or not the Pioneer Water company is successful in financing a plan to put the entire system under pipeline, since if the open ditch is eliminated, control will be much less of a problem.

Surveys show that the

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NEW RESTAURANT

PORTERVILLE - Five acre parcel of land on Henderson, just west of G & W Chevrolet, went into escrow this week as site for a new Howard Johnson restaurant, and eventual motel. The Howard Johnson restaurant and motel chain is a large eastern organization that is moving west.

GRAND JURY'S "HEAVY HANDED" APPROACH DRAWS VETERAN'S IRE

PORTERVILLE - Strong protests to what he terms "heavy handed" approach of the Tulare County Grand Jury in requesting some veterans who claim a tax exemption to fill out a detailed questionnaire has been presented in letter form by Milt M. Hustad, of Porterville, to David McFall, chairman of the Grand Jury, with copies of the letter going to Superior Court Judge John Locke; Ray Holloway, a member of the Grand jury; Ray Longley, chairman of the county board of supervisors; Ray Muller, supervisor-elect from the Fifth district, and several news media.

Background is that last September the Grand jury apparently picked at random about 1,000 veterans who claim tax exemptions, sent them a questionnaire to fill out relative to their exemptions, and asked them to return the complete questionnaire.

"Where discrepancies are found," said the Grand jury, "property owners claiming exemptions will be requested to appear before the Grand jury and verify his claim. In event there is evidence of falsification, the Grand jury, if it deems it necessary, will subpoena records covering the property owner's assets."

At the time this was done, there was strong disapproval of the Grand jury move from several sources, mostly on the grounds that this was a "shotgun" approach

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Franklin Stockbridge

Tight Money As It Effects Citrus

PORTERVILLE - Tight money as it effects citrus will be the subject of Franklin Stockbridge, senior vice president, Security First National Bank of Los Angeles, at a meeting of the Citrus Men's club at Estradas in

FOUR BANDS WILL APPEAR IN KIDDIE CHRISTMAS PARADE SATURDAY MORNING

PORTERVILLE - Four bands will appear in the 1966 Kiddie Christmas parade that will be sponsored Saturday morning by the Merchants' committee of the Porterville chamber of commerce.

The famous Porterville High School Panther band, picked this year for the Tournament of Roses parade in Pasadena, will lead off; other bands will be Bartlett Junior high,

Pioneer Junior high, and Rockford school.

The parade is open to elementary school children from the first through the sixth grade; all entrants must be in Christmas theme costume; no bicycles, motor vehicles, or lighted candles will be allowed.

Parade organization will be by school group, with each group judged separately; a \$5.00 gift certificate will be awarded for the best costume in each group.

All parade participants will receive a free ticket to a special Porter theater show that will start at 11 a.m.

Parade assembly area is on Main street in front of the Porterville city hall.

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Visalia, Monday noon, December 5.

The club is open to all citrus growers north of the Tehachapi mountains; all growers in this area are invited to attend. No reservations are necessary.

Editorial Comment

WHY NOT STRENGTHEN THE AGREEMENT?

Importance of the pending election to determine whether or not Porterville Junior College district is annexed into the Kern Joint Junior College district is most certainly not to be underestimated.

People of the Porterville district are being asked to vote "yes" or "no", and either vote sets up a situation that is virtually irrevocable; the Porterville College district is absorbed into the much larger Kern district by a favorable "Yes" vote; or the Porterville district is left as it is by a "no" vote, a small district boxed in by larger districts.

If the vote is "yes", there is virtually no chance to get out of the Kern district if the setup is not satisfactory to Porterville. If the vote is "no", there is virtually no expansion possible for Porterville, other

than annexing the Strathmore high school district into the Porterville Junior College district if the people of the Strathmore district should see fit to do so.

In short the die will be cast for a number of years to come on a basis of the December 20 annexation vote.

The issue, as we see it, is not clearly pro or con on annexing to Bakersfield, per se. Rather the issue is the agreement under which the annexation is proposed — an agreement that is completely one-sided in that Porterville gives its \$2,000,000 worth of college assets to the larger district, while the Kern district formally agrees to do nothing — not even to continue a junior college at Porterville.

Under this agreement, we will have to vote "no" on the annexation.

But we strongly urge the Porterville college board to expand its agreement with the Kern county board to cover three basic points:

1. That in event of annexation of the Porterville district to the Kern district a junior college will be continued at Porterville;
2. That two types of courses will be offered at Porterville college — terminal courses and college prep;
3. That Porterville college will be expanded as population growth generally within the Kern district and particularly within the Porterville area demands in order to meet educational needs at the junior college level.

If it is possible at this late date to amend the agreement along the lines suggested, then discussion could center around the advantages of annexation compared to advantages of not annexing.

Without such an amended agreement, no logical discussion is possible concerning the future of Porterville college as a part of the Kern district, since people of the Porterville district, under the presently proposed annexation agreement, can only speculate on what might happen to Porterville College if it is annexed into the Kern district — speculation that hinges on future policy decisions of a seven-man college board, with a majority centered in the Bakersfield area — a board on which Porterville would have only one vote out of seven.

MRS. GERALD MASON NEW PRESIDENT OF TULARE COUNTY COW BELLES; CHRISTMAS PARTY SET FOR DEC. 11

DUCOR - Mrs. Gerald Mason was elected president of the Tulare County Cow Belles at a recent dinner meeting held at the new Dutch Frontier in Ducor; she succeeds Mrs. Velma Gill.

Other officers are: Mrs. Keith Evans, vice president; Mrs. Adair Brown, secretary; Mrs. Virgil Lowe, treasurer; and Mesdames Robert Bodley, Don Trueblood, and Jack Shannon, three-year directors.

During a business session it was announced that the annual Cow Belle Christmas party will be held at the Paul Bunyan restaurant in Porterville December 11; attention was called to the annual Cal-

ifornia Cattlemen's association and California Cow Belle state meeting to be held in Reno, Nevada beginning December 1; use of the Red Barn in Porterville's November 11 celebration was reported on; members were reminded to get their "mystery packages" to some one attending the state convention, or to leave them at Esther's Home Furnishings.

Members and guests who attended the meeting included: Mesdames William Rumbly; Walter Hunsaker, Leila Kimbriel, Ethel Albright, Gerald Mason, Keith Evans, Virgil Lowe, William Dye, Ralph Mehrton, Kenneth Rutherford, Gladys Wardlaw, Clyde

WESTFIELD 4-H HEARS TALK ON SCICON PROJECT

WESTFIELD - David Saar, supervisor of the Scicon project on Bear creek above Springville, told about progress of the education camp at November meeting of the Westfield 4-H club.

He said that the site was donated by the late Clemmie Gill; that the Porterville community is raising money to construct a library at the camp, and that now about 150 students can be accommodated in 12 modern cabins.

In other business of the meeting project reports were given by Barney Atkins, Debbie Baxter, and John Beyerbach; Kerri Nairn modeled a new 4-H uniform; Mrs. Robert Nairn presented awards to top ticket salesmen for the recent 4-H Chuckwagon breakfast; Steve Jordan, first, and Mike Stafforini, second, for boys; Kerri Nairn, first, Carolyn Peterson, second, and Michele Propp, third, for girls.

Danny Ingraham presented a budget committee report which was approved; on the budget committee also were: Craig Stevens, Bernie Landeros, Charlotte Stewart, Mrs. Dave Ingraham and Mrs. Chet Gilbert.

The club presented a check for \$25.00 to the American Red Cross; receiving it was Mrs. W.D. Fowler, area chairman.

Presiding at the meeting was President Roger Ingraham; flag salute was led by Debbie Geisberg; 4-H pledge was led by Steve Jordan.

Carlisle, Adair Brown, Kenneth Beck, Earl Stout, Oscar Klein, Lewis Goins, Ruth Goins, Robert Nuckols Jr., Vernon Gill, Cora Norris, Darwin Griswold, Florence Guthrie and Duane Fitterer, and Miss Joleen Flynn.

To date this year arrests for slow driving in fast traffic lanes have increased 82 per cent in California.

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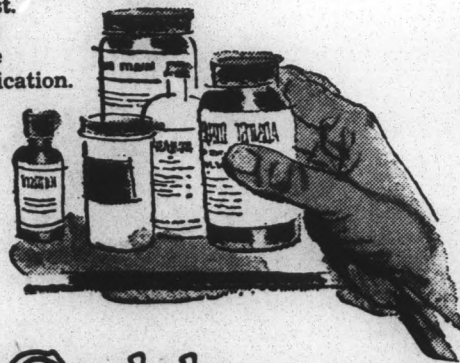
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By BILL RODGERS

SO THE political humor continues - like the Republicans getting together for a victory party, and no one knew what to do And the Democrat, commenting on the fact that only one of his party survived the state constitutional officer election, "Oh well, you can't win 'em all." . . . Or the political slogan that popped up at the public forum, namely the coffee counter, "All the way with LBJ - Give him the gate in '68." Of course LBJ is riding the tide of adversity quite well, practical politician that he is. He's on a pull-in - our - horns kick, an economy drive, a slow-things-down-in Viet Nam policy, even a let's be friends with everyone, even Republicans, routine at press conferences. But don't be misled. The old pro is only executing that intricate political maneuver known as feeling the pulse of the people,

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From
**Daybell
Nursery**
By John

One thing the weather has proven this week is that it doesn't have to be predicted - it comes regardless of forecast. The storm also showed further disregard for conformity by coming from somewhere other than out of the north. Whether this is a trend related to the Republicans coming into office remains to be seen. Possibly all those Southern California votes are having their effect.

Several things besides rain poured into the nursery this week and we would like to share some of these with you. Number one is probably the group of living spruce trees which can be used for Christmas and then planted out doors. One word of caution is not to leave them indoors too long. One week in a heated room is absolute maximum.

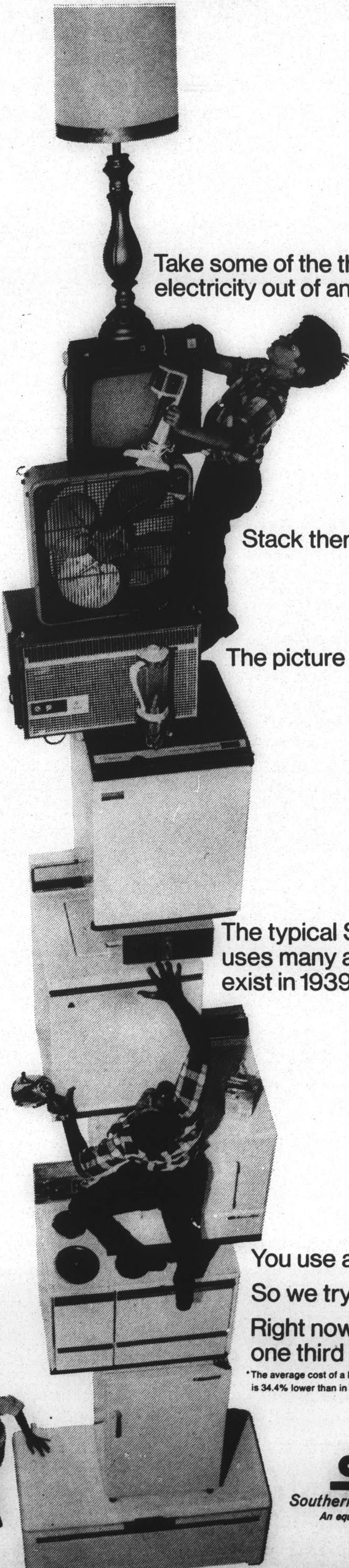
Along with the spruce came Rhododendrons. They are like colossal azaleas with early spring bloom and in colors not yet captured even by television. In other words they are just natural beauties. They are also naturally expensive but not prohibitively so - Less than ten bucks and over three.

By this weekend the berries, rhubarb, asparagus, horseradish, and similar stuff should wash down stream. The bill came floating in last week and usually the heavier material is not far behind. We hope you'll man the oars, or woman the oars, and come salvage some of these things before Christmas completely ensnares you.

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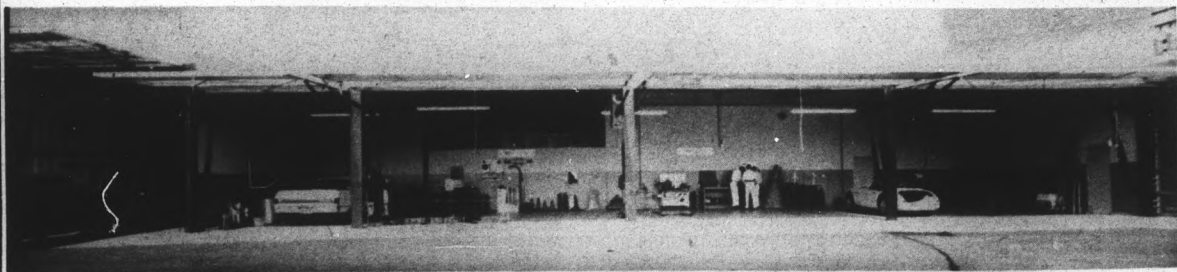
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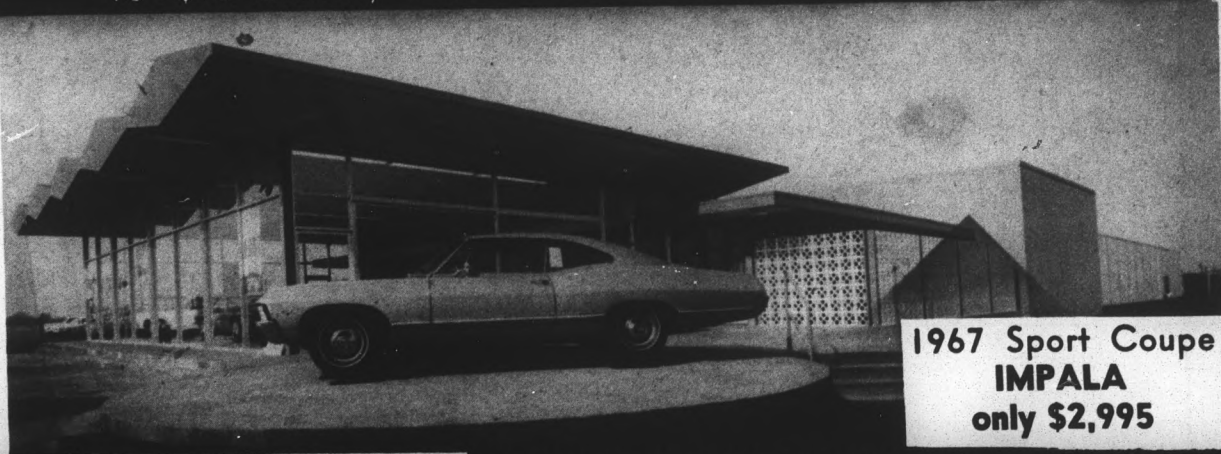
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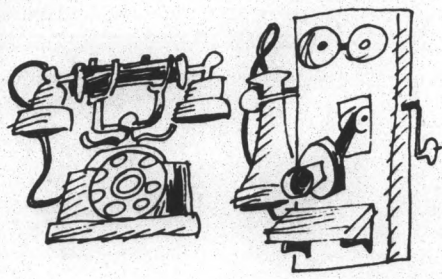
Bob Simeral

WHAT'S DOING?



I don't read *Izvestia*, the Russian newspaper, but an article from it was passed on to me. A Russian gentleman who had lived in the U.S. for 30 years wrote that one thing he considered remarkable about our country was the courtesy and efficiency of women who answer phones in business firms. In Russia, he said, rudeness was the order of the day. Three cheers for our ladies of American business. And, I'd like to add, for all our courteous telephone users.

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and having felt the pulse, resorting to a political application of an old axiom—He who fights and runs away will live to fight another day So LBJ hopes.

THERE IS really no truth to the rumor that the reason we did not write a review of the Barn's latest—"Mary, Mary"—is that we could find nothing bad to say about it. We just got distracted by other matters, some of which required long and tedious meetings in the Mountain Lion saloon, and the first thing we knew, the show's run had ended, and we had not written . . . So at this belated time we beg to announce that "Mary, Mary", directed by Elizabeth Dobson and produced by the Porterville Barn Theater, was a most excellent show, in fact just barely less than somewhat short of professional calibre. The small, experienced cast—Larry Cotta, Edith Evans, Dr. Walter Carpenter (that's my cousin Walter so he's got to be great) Al Soares,

and Sheila Cuffman—was fine And, as the play progressed the acting of Larry and Sheila sort of grew and grew. Theirs was as good a double lead as we have seen on the Barn boards in lo, these many moons . . . And speaking of good theater, Shakespeare's "Comedy Of Errors," as presented Saturday night by the Los Angeles City College Theater Arts department, was a pleasure to behold—colorful, entertaining, and technically well done . . . Too bad this travelling troupe of wandering players cannot visit Porterville more often.

THE BIG shuffle: G & W Chevrolet no sooner moves off Main Street to West Henderson (and what a fine facility Roger Gamble and Sandy Ward have there) than Lindel Chrysler-Plymouth moves north on Main to the former G & W location . . . Dudley Pearson moved from Olive and E to his Porterville Agri-Business center, and Honda of Porterville moves into the old Pearson Pump location. . . And in back of Honda Clyde Tatman, et al,

is setting up a really new business—the Porterville packaging company, for military, commercial and industrial packaging.

AND SAY, have you noticed the new sign on the Standard station at Henderson and Freeway 65—the sign that some members of the Porterville Planning commission maintained would be unsightly, obnoxious, and detrimental to view of the Sierra from streets, highways and patios . . . Well, folks, this sign is none to big, as far as we're concerned, and we hope that other substantial businesses continue to develop along 65 Freeway in Porterville, and that everyone has a sign bigger and brighter than all the rest, and that our traveling friends remember Porterville as the white spot of the universe, the place where there is action and lights . . . Of course we will have to admit that when we stopped just off 65 freeway to size up the new Standard sign, we couldn't see the Sierra . . . Too much smog.

VICTORY DINNER FOR MULLER DECEMBER 10

TERRA BELLA—A victory dinner for Ray Muller, newly elected supervisor in the fifth district, will be held at the Terra Bella Memorial building the evening of December 10, with a social hour, a dinner prepared by Jack Pandol, and a dance being planned.

Newly-elected Assembly man Bill Ketchum will attend, also Tulare county's new sheriff, Bob Wiley, along with county supervisors and other political figures.

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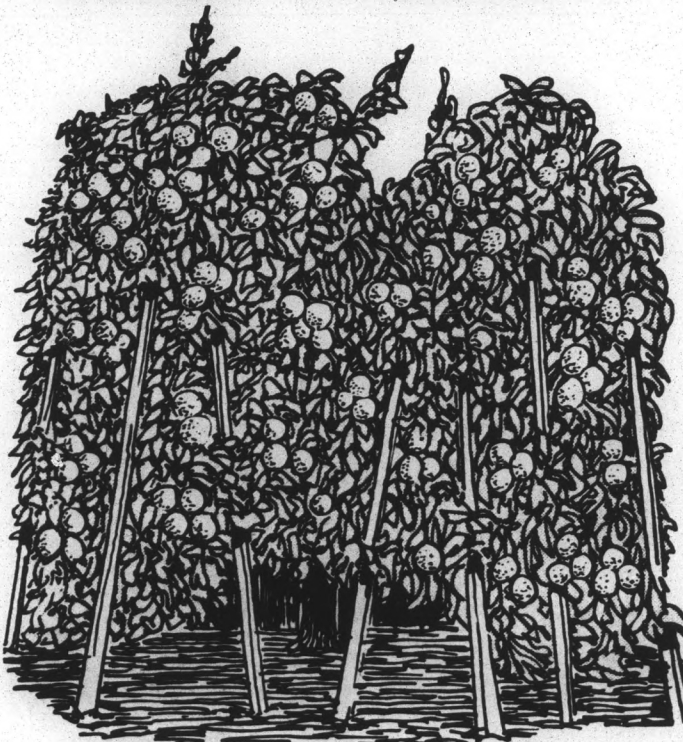
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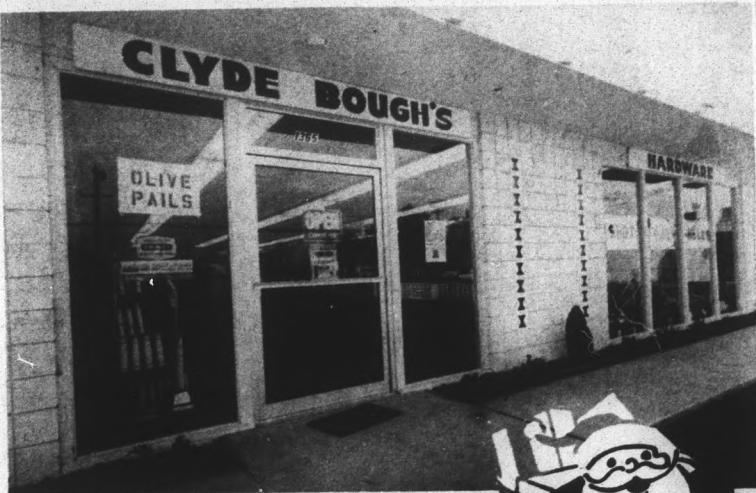
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By Ruth Loyd

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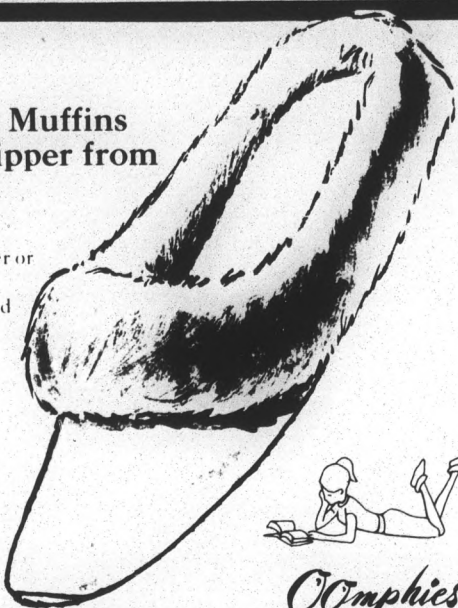
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steins (teenage colloquialism for police cars) lately. One caught up with me the other day and that new siren nearly scared me to death. Here I was going out Orange and that awful noise came creeping up on me. It sounds like the mating call of a Whooping Crane. It's just awful. Then this cop gets out of his car and gave me the old talking to. I'm certainly glad I had my license with me. I did my best but he gave me a ticket anyway. He had lovely blue eyes and was very sweet. This was on top of a parking ticket someone gave me at nine fifteen in the morning in front of Bullards. I hurried down to the place and paid my tickets and got out of there. Then it happened. I got caught again. Three times and you go to the judge. As a rule I like George Carter, but when it comes to standing in front of him in court I don't like him at all. All the other criminals got off scottfree, but not little ole me. I think he threw the book at me. He even rubbed his hands together while I robbed my poor piggy bank. I never will find out how fast our car will go. It says I can go up to over one hundred, but the local

holsteins won't let me even try. Now of course I'm a danger to every car on the road. I keep both eyes on the rear view mirror and just look away long enough to give black and white cars a dirty look. And now George just smiles when I creep slowly by. I have the only car in captivity that tiptoes when we see a policeman. I believe. I believe.

The other day I heard a bell ringing and rushed out thinking it was the ice cream man, but I was surprised to see the garbage man going down the alley. One of the garbage flat bed trucks has a bell that rings, warning children and animals to get out of the way. It sounds rather cozy ringing it's way down the alley. Now I know when to go out and put the top back on the garbage pails. One top won't fit because one of the bell ringers squashed it all out of shape. He better be careful or I'll ring his bell the hard way.

Thanksgiving was delightful, as usual. After dinner there was a line of cars riding around the new high school. People from out of Our Town were all treated to the sight of such a beautiful new campus. That certainly beats having

**PENALTY ON
UNPAID TAXES
DECEMBER 12**

VISALIA - Tax collections for the first three weeks in November show a heavy initial response to the approximately 80,000 tax bills mailed by Tulare County Tax Collector J.A. Janelli.

The fact that several hundred bills were returned because of insufficient or incorrect addresses is still of great concern to the tax collector. Property owners should request bills on their property, if not yet received, as soon as possible.

A penalty of six percent of the first installment tax bill will be levied on all unpaid taxes as of 5 o'clock p.m. on December 12. Payments must be made at the tax collector's office in the County Civic center at Visalia, by 5:00 p.m. on December 12, or must be deposited in the mail by midnight on the same date, to avoid penalty.

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REPORTS HEARD AT ROCKFORD 4-H MEETING

ROCKFORD - Reports and committee appointments were major items of business at November meeting of the Rockford 4-H club.

Carol Briano reported on the club's third-place float in the Porterville Veterans' Day parade; Patricia Weimer on the recent 4-H Chuckwagon breakfast; Annette Hochuli, David Koontz, Jim Billiou, and Rodney Valine on a sugar beet day in Mendota; and Janice Buchak on a Hi - 4 - H dance.

Club members voted to contribute to memorials for the late Jackie Lunstad and Janet Lombardi.

Budget report, presented by Treasurer Luann Spencer, and club program report, presented by Janice Buchak, were accepted by the club; Sandra Valine was introduced as Sunshine chairman for the coming year; and an iron was presented to Mrs. John Briano for clothing projects.

Community service committee membership was announced as: Randy Jones, chairman; Susanna Borba, Bob Falconer, Mylene Stevens, John Bays, and Loretta Weimer.

On a snow party committee are: Kathy Briano, chairman; Fred Hughes, Susan Spencer, Janice Wells, and Patricia Weimer.

New members initiated into the club included Susan Spencer, Linda and Mylene Stevens, Loretta and Patricia Weimer, Susanna and Frank Borba, Fred Hughes, John Bays, Marlin Peters, Janice Wells, Kathy Mortinson, and John Billiou.

Judging was supervised by Sandra Valine in the absence of judging chairman Virginia Hochuli.

Presiding at the meeting was Vice President Janice Buchak; pledge of allegiance was led by Susanna Borba, and the 4-H pledge by Janie Cooksey.

SPRINGVILLE NEWS

BY WINNIE GAGE

Boy Scout Troop No. 137 will start selling Christmas trees at the elementary school on Sat. December 3.

Scout master Noble Beeler and assistants Duke Johnson and Bill Daniels with help of Lion Club

members have cut some trees and will have lots of beautiful Christmas trees.

The Annual church meeting will be held Dec. 2 at 7 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Guy Campbell.

A bazaar and food sale will be held on December 10, starting at 9 A.M. at

Bertorelli Bros. Cow Tops Assn.

STRATHMORE - A grade Holstein in the Bertorelli Bros. herd at Strathmore topped the Tulare County Dairy Herd Improvement association for November with a production record of 26,741 pounds of milk and 1,014 pounds of butterfat, during a 305 - day lactation period.

IRENE SANDERS HEADS PARENTS

PORTERVILLE - Irene Sanders, of Sun Valley, has been elected president of the Porterville State Hos-

Reliance Dairy Has Top Heifer

DELANO - A registered Holstein in the Reliance Dairy Farms herd at Delano topped first - calf heifers in the Tulare County Dairy Herd Improvement association for the month of November with a production record of 19,907 pounds of milk and 689 pounds of butterfat during a 305 - day lactation period.

pital Parents group. With her new officers, she will be installed in ceremonies at the hospital on January 14.

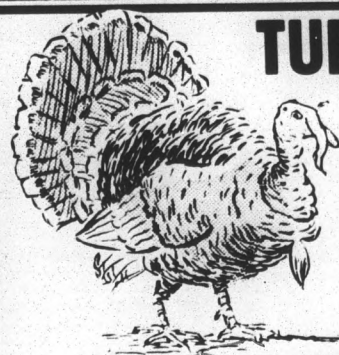
181 North Main Street in Porterville.

Thanksgiving day guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Jefford were Mr. and Mrs. Herb Jefford and son Gary and a daughter, Mrs. David Horne of Trona. Mr. and Mrs. Gary Farrah and son Burke of Bakersfield.

Thanksgiving guests of

Mr. and Mrs. Geo Sturm were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Long and son Lance Williams and two granddaughters Sandra and Priscilla Long of Bakersfield, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Atkison and children of Frazier Park.

Mr. and Mrs. John
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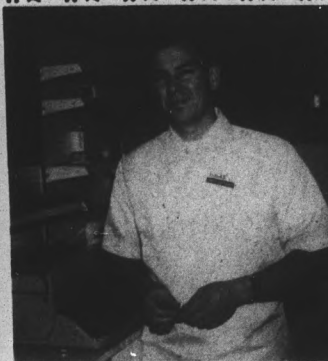
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son Loren McDonald and family for Thanksgiving other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McDonald and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Richardson and three children, Mr. "Pinky" Richardson (Kenneth's father) of Delano and Mrs. Helen Strauch of Porterville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Herbert spent Thanksgiving day with her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johns and son at Granite Station.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Herberts three sons and nine grandchildren were home for a family reunion which is Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Herbert and three sons of Lakewood, Mr. and Mrs. Veryl Herbert and five children of Atascadero, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Herbert, and daughter, of San Luis Obispo; also Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johns and son.

The Pleasant Valley Guild met in the home of Mrs. Verdell Brown in Porterville for their November meeting.

Mrs. Ava Thompson, president, was in charge of meeting, with 16 members present.

Mrs. Peggy Jones, De-

votional chairman led in prayer and also read Nehemiah and the 100th Psalm, and an article on the first Thanksgiving.

Reports were given by committee on sick calls and clothing.

Mrs. Oleta Davison and Mrs. Verdell had shopped for Christmas gifts for Korean children.

Election of officers was held, and elected were: Bessie Hayden President; Fern Eppertt, vice president; Lucile Tharp, secretary; and Verdell Brown, treasurer. Other committee leaders will be appointed later.

Refreshments of Myster pudding, cookies, candies, coffee and tea were served by Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Hayden.

Mr. and Mrs. John Laken and children were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Newby in Elk Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Stephens and children were Thanksgiving day guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. M.E. Shirron in Long Beach, and also visited another sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Bradbury, also of Long Beach.

Guy Lowe of the River Valley ranch was a weekend guest of his son, Frank Lowe, and family of Sanger.

Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Walter Witt were Mrs. Helen Witt, of Success Valley; Mrs. Minnie Bell and son, Alvie Bell, of Weiser, Idaho; (Mother and brother. The mother will spend the winter here with Mrs. Witt.)

Mr. and Mrs. Julie Phillips and son William of Pacific Grove (William is making his home with Mrs. Witt, his aunt, while employed at the Cable plant in Lindsay).

David and Scott Webb stayed with their grandmother Mrs. Witt while their parents Mr. and Mrs. Gary Webb visited in Ray, Arizona with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vaughn and daughters, former Springville residents.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Maas were his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wes Maas of La Salva Beach, Mr. and Mrs. John Higgenbotham Mr. and Mrs. Roger Higgenbotham, and sons, of Taft.

Marian and Sharlene Brockman, who are attending Fresno State, were home over Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Brockman, and their brother, John.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Brockman (Will's parents) and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Alveraz (Will's sister) of Santa Cruz.

Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Troy O'Neal were her brother Mr. and Mrs. William Hoppe, of Oakland, Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. Hoppe were married on Thanksgiving and were on their Honeymoon to Southern California. It had been seven years since the brother and sister had met.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Stringer, and children, of Saugus, were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Taylor.



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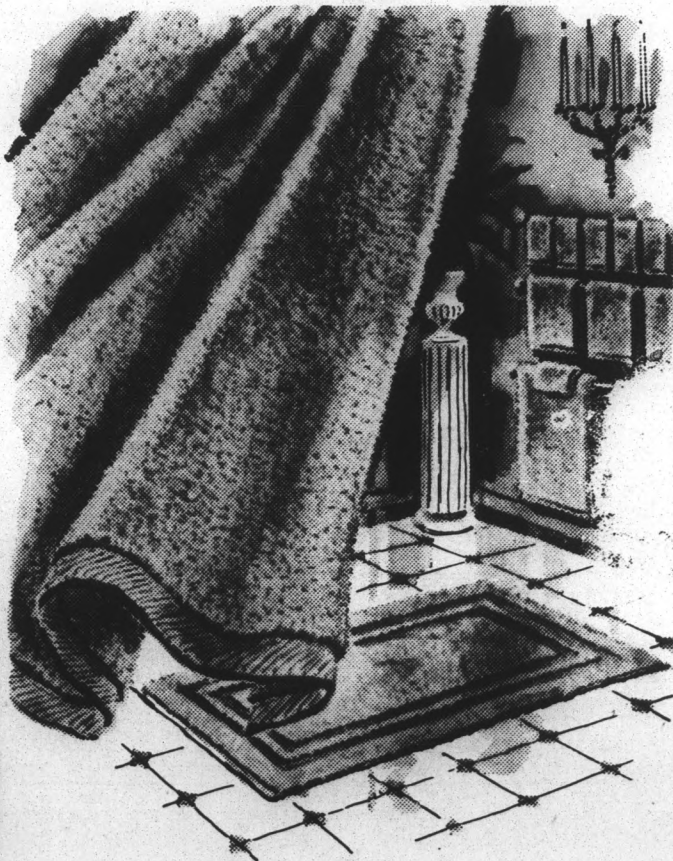
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No. 18873

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within six months after the first publication of this notice.

DOROTHY BARNETT, Executrix of the Will of the above named decedent.
Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk
Attorneys at Law
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Porterville, California. 93257
Telephone: (209) 784-5064
Attorneys for Executrix
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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Superior Court of the State of California
For the County of Tulare

No. 18865

Estate of
EARL E. SMITH, SR., also known as Earl E. Smith, E. E. Smith and E. E. Smith, Sr., Deceased.

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Dated November 3, 1966.
EARL E. SMITH, JR., Executor of the Will of the above named decedent.

Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk
Attorneys at Law
141 East Mill Avenue
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Attorneys for Executor

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Superior Court of the State of California
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No. 18553

Estate of
IRENE A. BURTNER, also known as Irene Burtner, Deceased.

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MILTON BURTNER, BEATRICE BESSEY
Co-Executors of the Will of the above named decedent

Dated October 26, 1966.
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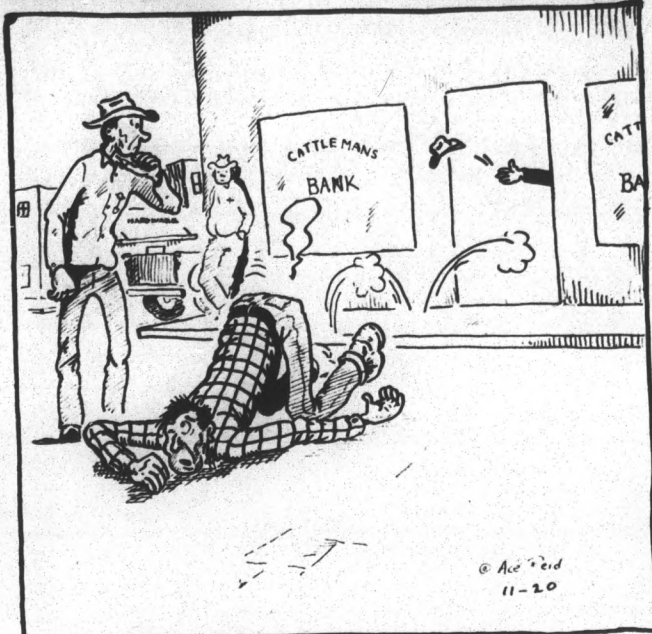
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VISALIA — With cold winter weather possible at any time now, frost warnings are being broadcast nightly by valley radio and TV stations. Following is the schedule:

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No. 18856

Estate of
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within six months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated October 26, 1966.
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8:30 p.m., **KMJ**, Fresno; and at 9 p.m., **KFRE-TV**, Fresno, and **KMJ-TV**, Fresno.

Navel Oranges Move From Valley

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ALLIGATOR WEED

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Alligator weed is spreading through ditches in the farm area west of Porterville. It has also been found in Mill creek at Visalia. A native of South

America, the Alligator weed is a serious agricultural pest in the southern United States, where, because of the humid climate, no real control method has been found, and where farm land has actually been abandoned because of the weed.

Vince Schweers, county farm advisor, believes the weed would readily establish itself on irrigated lands, consequently the concerted effort toward elimination is being started while the weed is actually in a relatively small area—possibly 20 miles of ditch in the Porterville and Visalia areas.

In Schweers' opinion, the dry climate of Tulare county makes elimination feasible. Since control is expensive, he emphasizes the importance of elimination before it spreads further. Experiments conducted at Visalia and Porterville, and work done at Davis, have developed chemicals and methods that will kill out the weed under Tulare county conditions.

The Pioneer ditch infestation is believed to have come from a lily pond that was formerly located along the ditch in Murry park; the Alligator weed was probably originally put into the pond by someone who thought it was a "pretty water plant".

Although probably present in the Pioneer ditch since the lily pond was eliminated about 10 years ago, it did not grow rapidly,

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and not in keeping with Grand jury procedure.

Hustad did not return his questionnaire.

In a second letter from the Grand jury, dated November 16, he was sent another questionnaire and was again "requested" to complete and return the form. He was given seven days to comply; copies of the Grand jury letter to Hustad went to the district attorney and to Judge Locke, penal code Sec. 939.2 was cited.

In refusing to comply with the questionnaire request, Hustad said in his letter to the Grand jury chairman:

"This letter is to inform you that I have received your letter of November 16th relative to 'verifying' my 1966 Veterans Exemption and to further inform you that I do not plan to return the questionnaire.

"I fully recognize the ramifications this decision might have in terms of your letters obvious threat of subpoena, carbon copies to Judge Locke and our District Attorney, but I feel that your committee's questioning of my original declaration is a personal affront and I am taking this means to protest.

"I signed and submitted my original 1966 Veterans Exemption as a declaration under penalty of perjury and I stand ready to appear before you or any man as to that being a true and correct statement of facts. I will not, however, submit to your heavy handed attempts to gain from me the identical figures only because a committee feels that perhaps my original declaration might have been fraudulently filed.

"I believe that were your inquiry directed to me in some way other than your authoritarian approach of questioning my integrity and my signature, I would be pleased to cooperate with the grand jury who I consider to be an integral part of county government.

"I apologize for not answering your original 'questionnaire' of September 27th but I wrongly assumed that your committee would understand my (and I hope hundreds of other veterans) silent refusal to be a part of something I honestly consider to be beneath the dignity I associate with a Tulare County Grand Jury."

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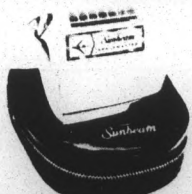


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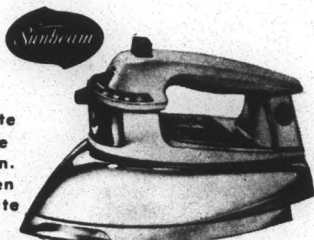
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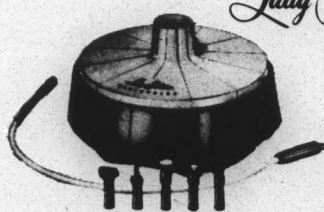


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